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- 1. AS A PART OF REEVALUATION OF THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR AND ITS TRADE POTENTIAL OF THE MAJOR COUNTRIES AROUND THE WORLD, THE ECONOMIC RESEARCH SERVICE OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE HAS INITIATED AN INDEPTH STUDY OF SUDANESE AGRICULTURE.
- 2. AHMED D. ABOU-BAKR WILL ARRIVE IN KHARTOUM TO GATHER INFORMATION FROM OFFICIALS FROM MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE, SUPPLY AND PLANNING. MR. EL RASHEED KHIDER, MINISTER, EMBASSY OF SUDAN IN WASHINGTON, D.C. PROMISES THAT HE WILL CONTACT OFFICIALS IN THE SUDAN GOVERNMENT TO INFORM THEM ABOUT USDA RESEARCH EFFORTS AND SET UP MEETINGS WITH PROPER OFFICIALS.

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3. ABOU-BAKR WOULD BE VERY GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD ALSO SUGGEST CONTACTS AND FACILITATE ACCESS TO INFORMATION DURING HIS VISIT. HE IS PLANNING TO ARRIVE IN KHARTOUM ON MARCH 7, WOULD APPRECIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS FROM MARCH 7 TO MARCH 24, L977.

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